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Y GUIAO LACSAMANA, ET AL. V. US, CIVIL CASE NO.  
96403, COURT OF FIRST INSTANCE OF MANILA,  
PHILIPPINES

REF: 1975 MANILA 1092

1. DEPT. LEGAL ADVISER HAS RECEIVED VIA GAO AND JUSTICE  
CLAIM AGAINST US IN THE AMOUNT OF P165,284,784.14. SUBJECT  
CASE HAS APPARENTLY ALREADY BEEN LITIGATED IN THE  
PHILIPPINES.

2. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO PROVIDE DEPT. (ATTN: L/M - S.  
WHILDEN) THE FOLLOWING: AN UPDATE ON THE CASE AND ITS  
CURRENT STATUS IN THE PHILIPPINE COURTS. ROBINSON

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